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Appln. No.:	10/642,359	
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Title:	Positive Atmosphere Packaging Press and Sealer	Group Art Unit: 3721

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.